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COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Indiana Fire Prevention and
Building Safety Commission
Government Center South
302 West Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204
Conference Room B

December 4, 2012

Pursuant to IC 22-12-2-6, the Indiana Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission's regular monthly meeting was opened by Chairman Hannum at 9:04 a.m. on December 4, 2012.

(a) Commissioners present at the Commission meeting:

Diana M. H. Brenner
Michael Christoffersen
Tom Cloud
Michael Corey
Hattie Sims, representing the Commissioner, Department of Labor
David Hannum, Chairman
John Hawkins
Todd Hite, representing the Commissioner, Department of Health
Matt Mitchell

Commissioners not present at the beginning of the Commission meeting:

Ron Brown
Ted Ogle, Vice-Chairman

(b) The following departmental and support staff were present during the meeting:

Legal and Code Services:

Mara Snyder, Director, Legal and Code Services
Shelly Wakefield, Manager, Code Technical Development
Denise Fitzpatrick, Code Specialist
John Haines, Code Specialist
Beth Sutor, Secretary

(c) James Schmidt, Deputy Attorney General, and Gary Bippus, Administrative Law Judge, were present.

2. Old Business.

A call by Chairman Hannum for any corrections or a motion to approve the minutes of the November 7, 2012 meeting as distributed was made. Commissioner Corey moved to approve the minutes as distributed, with the second by Commissioner Brenner. It was voted upon and carried.

3. Ordinances.

Ordinance 2012-13
City of Madison
Severe Weather Shelters

Mara Snyder, Director, Legal and Code Services explained that the ordinance was not intended to require the installation of severe weather shelters, but to regulate their construction if a shelter was to be installed. She recommended approval. Commissioner Corey moved to approve Ordinance 2012-13, with the second by Commissioner Hite. It was voted upon and carried.

4. Third Party Inspection Agency Renewal.

Professional Service Industries, Inc.
1748 33rd Street
Orlando, Florida 32839

Mark Reynolds, Fire and Building Code Enforcement, introduced the application for renewal, noting their history and recommending approval. Commissioner Corey moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

5. Variances.

Tabled Variances.

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent for variance 12-06-41, The Warehouse by the Family Center, Bloomington. Also present was John Beuhler, Director. The request was to modify a previous variance to allow additional warehouse space to be used for a Christian teen concert on New Year's Eve. The additional space would be used to play games of volleyball, basketball, dodge ball and the like. Following a lengthy discussion of means to be used to keep people out of storage areas, lighting, exiting and supervision, several commissioners expressed concern about unregulated combustible storage and people in the building. Commissioner Hawkins moved to deny, with the second by Commissioner Cloud. It was voted upon and carried. Variance 12-09-4, LaJoya Apartments, Indianapolis, was represented by Victor Buguer, Assistant Manager. The request was to be allowed to raise the cabinets for the fire extinguishers up out of the reach of children to reduce the vandalism. As many as ten cabinets per week are replaced due to vandalism. Sam Bruner, Pike Twp. Fire Department, was present, and advised the Commission that the fire department would like to have the extinguishers installed at a code-compliant height, fearing mounting them at six feet would move them out of reach of adults as well as children, or remove them from the hallways and put them in the apartments. Following discussion, Commissioner Mitchell moved to deny, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried. Variance 12-10-4, First Church of Nazarene, LaPorte, had no proponent available. Commissioner Corey moved to table for thirty days, with the second by Commissioner Cloud. It was voted upon and carried. The proponent for variance 12-10-10(d), Lilly Building K312-314, Indianapolis, had requested the application be tabled. Commissioner Mitchell moved to table for thirty days, with the second by Commissioner Hite. It was voted upon and carried. Variance 12-11-10(a)(b), Bloomington Body Bar Yoga Studio, Bloomington, was represented by Doug Trent, RTM Consultants. The original variance for the sprinklered building had been amended and presented as two separate issues. Concerns about the single stairway, though it led directly to the exterior, were still discussed, as was the travel distance which exceeded that allowed by code. Also discussed was the calculation of the occupant load, and the possibility that the next tenant might incorrectly use the same calculations for a different type of use. Commissioner

Brenner moved to deny both variances, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried. Variance 12-11-14, SOAR Sprinklers, South Bend, was represented by Samuel Quay, CEO of Samlin of Indiana. The request was to omit the sprinkler system due to the financial hardship it would impose. The building, constructed of cement block, serves as an adult daycare facility with a staff ratio of one staff for each four clients. The single story with basement facility was being leased, and was located in an area without a fire hydrant. Fire Marshal Dave Cherrone, Clay Twp. Fire Department, advised the Commission that his department did not support the variance. Following discussion, Commissioner Christoffersen moved to table to allow the proponent time to explore further options including a Chapter 34 evaluation with the owner of the building. Commissioner Corey made the second. It was voted upon and carried. Mary Ringis, Facilities Manager, spoke as proponent for variance 12-11-17, Stonegate Mortgage First Floor Expansion, Indianapolis. The request was to allow the use of a magnetic locking device on required exit doors for use with a card reader to enter the area. The lock was tied to the fire alarm, and a motion detector on the interior side of the door would disarm the lock upon approach. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve with the conditions that the lock be tied to the fire alarm and to the water flow alarm, and that an emergency release button must be placed within six feet of the door. Commissioner Christoffersen made the second. It was voted upon and carried. Mara Snyder, Director, Legal and Code Services, requested that variance 12-11-21, Care Animal Hospital, Muncie, be tabled to allow the proponent to submit a letter concerning the approved installation and withdraw his application. Commissioner Brenner moved to table, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried. Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent for variance 12-11-33(b), 8 West Louisiana Conversion, Indianapolis. The basement, in the change of occupancy, was to have work stations installed within the allowable travel distance to the exit. The storage rooms were to be rated in lieu of a second exit for which there was no room. Following discussion, Commissioner Cloud moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Hawkins. It was voted upon and carried. Ms. Snyder noted that variance 12-11-37(a)(b), Pioneer Tipton Corn Treater Expansion, Tipton, had been tabled until January to allow for design changes and application modifications. Variance 12-11-40(a), JAE Hardwoods Storage Addition, Wolcottville, was represented by Tim Callas, J&T Consulting. The proponent provided revised floor plans showing fire department access door placement. He also noted that the fire doors were on fusible links. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve with the condition that a 3-hour fire barrier was provided. Commissioner Corey made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

Regular Variances.

Chairman Hannum asked for any abstentions or variances to be called out of the block vote. Commissioner Cloud advised he would abstain from voting on variance 12-12-11(a)(b), Shelbyville High School Natatorium Addition, Shelbyville, and 12-12-40 Barton Block, Indianapolis. Commissioner Christoffersen advised that he would be abstaining from voting on variance 12-12-31 (a)(b)(c), Ft. Wayne Storage Thompson Road, Ft. Wayne, and 12-12-35 Iceway Sports Complex, Ft. Wayne. Commissioner Corey moved to approve all other variances with an "A" or "B" rating by staff, with the second by Commissioner Brenner. It was voted upon and carried.

The following variances were approved as submitted:

- (1) 12-12-1 Eli Lilly US Affiliates Renovation, Indianapolis
- (2) 12-12-5 596 Graham Place Windows, Bloomington
- (3) 12-12-6 Bosse Field Hood and Suppression System, Evansville
- (4) 12-12-10 2591 S. Addisyn Lane Windows, Bloomington
- (5) 12-12-11(b) Shelbyville High School Natatorium Addition, Shelbyville
- (6) 12-12-13(a)(b) Jasper High School Temporary Exterior Wall, Jasper
- (7) 12-12-15(a)(b) Indianapolis Fire Station #4, Indianapolis
- (8) 12-12-18 Fairfield Inn and Suites Addition, Indianapolis
- (9) 12-12-23 IUPUI Rotary Building Renovation, Indianapolis
- (10) 12-12-28 Ball State University Johnson A. Hall Addition/Renovation, Muncie
- (11) 12-12-29 Turnstone Center for Disabled Children and Adults, Ft. Wayne
- (12) 12-12-31(c) Ft. Wayne Storage Thompson Road, Ft. Wayne
- (13) 12-12-32 Carroll Jr/Sr High School Additions, Flora
- (14) 12-12-35 Iceway Sports Complex, Ft. Wayne

The following variances were heard separately:

(15) 12-12-3 Endress+Hauser Automation, Greenwood

The request was to allow the use of composite bumpers, but the information listed as "attached" on the application had not been provided. Commissioner Brenner moved to table, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

(16) 12-12-4 Crazy Pinz Laser Tag, Ft. Wayne

Staff had determined that no variance was required because of the statements on the application that all of the plywood was fire-retardant treated, which is permitted in a Type II building. Commissioner Brenner moved no variance required, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

(17) 12-12-7 Evansville Day School Remodel, Evansville

Roger Lehman, RLehman Consulting, spoke as proponent. Also present was Neil Saunders, Evansville Day School. During the remodel, a wall had been removed from between two classrooms to allow more room for class activities. The room, with a set class load of 35 students, now exceeds the area allowed for the number of compliant exits. Following a lengthy discussion, it was noted that one exit through a kindergarten room would be compliant if the door were removed. Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second being made by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

(18) 12-12-8 CAPE Headstart Preschool Project, Evansville

Roger Lehman, RLehman Consulting, spoke as proponent. The request was to change the occupancy of the preschool section of the existing building, with 16 to 20 students, from R2 to E, using the masonry fire wall to separate the building areas. Under the current Chapter 34 amendments, a fire alarm system would have to be installed in the entire building for a positive score for the preschool area. The area is a single story, has four exits directly to the exterior, and is separated by a fire wall with one 90 minute rated opening. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

(19) 12-12-9 New Beginnings Church, New Albany

The application was incomplete and ineligible to be heard. Commissioner Christoffersen moved to table, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

Breaking and reconvening. Chairman Hannum recessed the Commission at 10:30 a.m. It was called back to order at 10:43a.m.

(20) 12-12-11(a)(c) Shelbyville High School Natatorium Addition, Shelbyville

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. Renovation of the pool and locker room have created a common path of travel of 115 feet, with code allowing only 75 feet, when the pool area is not in use. Students are not allowed access

through the pool area unless it is in use, due to safety concerns. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

(21) 12-12-12 Knox Fertilizer, Knox

Van Janovic, Territorial Engineering, spoke as proponent. The request was to allow this structure of three buildings connected by passageways to omit fire separations between the three sections. The material, held only in bulk, was to be handled by conveyers and front-end loaders which require three employees for the entire operation. The facility was a single level with exits at grade. The local fire and local building officials do not oppose the variance. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

(22) 12-12-14 Napolese 30 South, Indianapolis

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. A pizza place was moving into the first floor of an existing building, and, due to the restrictions of the historic structure, the exhaust duct for the Type I hood for the oven would have to be routed through the stair enclosure. The proponent stated the duct would be enclosed in a 2-hour shaft enclosure and would be wrapped from the point of penetration of the stair to the exterior. The building was sprinklered. Following discussion, Commissioner Mitchell moved to approve with the condition of a sprinkler head installed in the duct in the stair enclosure. Commissioner Hawkins made the second. It was voted upon and carried. Commissioner Cloud abstained.

(23) 12-12-16(a)(b) Hancock County 4-H Sheep Building / Show Arena, Greenfield

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. Also present was Bob McDowell, Hancock County 4-H Ag Association. During fairs, two of the buildings are used for sheep exhibition. The request was to allow the buildings to be used for holding estate and small livestock auctions during their off-season. The buildings would be minimally heated, and occupancy would be held to 400 in each building. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve both applications with the condition that an engineer certifies the roof of each building was strong enough to hold a code-required snow load. Commissioner Christoffersen made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

(24) 12-12-17(a)(b)(c)(d) Patterson Pointe PUD West, Bloomington

Ralph Gerdes, Ralph Gerdes Consultants, spoke as proponent. Variance (a) was a request to be allowed to make the exterior walls fire-rated for fire exposure from the inside only, instead of from both sides as required by code. The walls of the sprinklered, three-story apartment buildings would be of noncombustible materials, with a 20 foot separation between buildings. Jim Gerstbauer, Monroe County Building Official, advised the Commission that he objected since the buildings were just in the design phase and could be made to comply. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to deny (a), with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried. Variance (b) was a request to allow a common path of travel of 95 feet in the three-story townhouses. Code allows 75 feet. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to approve. There was no second. It was then decided to hear the remainder of the applications as a group. Variance (c) was a request to allow a 28 foot dead-end for the exterior balcony with a single exit stair. Code allows 20 feet. Following discussion, the proponent requested that the remaining applications be tabled. Commissioner Corey moved to table, with the second by Commissioner Cloud. It was voted upon and carried.

(25) 12-12-19 Prophetstown State Park New Aquatic Center, West Lafayette

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. Because of the seasonal use of the building, the request was to not comply with the Energy Code. The building was to have no heating, and the concession room and lifeguard room would

have minimal cooling during the summer months. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

(26) 12-12-20 Kunkel Square Apartments, Evansville

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. An existing office building had been converted to R-2 occupancy on floors two through twelve, with a Chapter 34 evaluation being done. The pull stations for the fire alarm system were found to not be located at a code-compliant height due to marble wainscoting, an historical feature of the building. The request was to allow the pull stations to remain above the compliant height. Following discussion, Commissioner Christoffersen moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

(27) 12-12-21 Golf Club of Indiana Banquet Facility, Lebanon

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request was to omit sprinklers in the 6,800 square foot banquet facility. The facility would be provided with a fire alarm and smoke detection system throughout. The sound system would be connected to the alarm system, shutting down the power upon activation. No cooking would be done on-site. A dry hydrant and pond would be provided, accessible by the fire department. Maximum travel distance from the assembly area would be 75 feet. Following discussion, Commissioner Cloud moved to approve, with the condition that the building be of Type VA construction, and that a dry hydrant with adequate fire department access be provided. Commissioner Brenner made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

(28) 12-12-22 Bella Vista Apartments, Fishers

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. Due to the direction of floor framing in the perpendicular direction to fire barrier walls, the request was to omit the extension of the fire barrier wall through the floor cavities to the floor deck above as required by code for the private garages. The apartments and garages are both sprinklered. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried, with one nay vote.

(29) 12-12-24 Burger King / Carrols Store 862, Indianapolis
 12-12-25 Carrols Store 866, Indianapolis
 12-12-26 Carrols Store 867, Indianapolis
 12-12-27 Carrols Store 871, Knightstown

Andrew Barnett, Corey Morris and Brad Onder, LendLease (US) Construction, spoke as proponents. In an effort to update their facilities, Burger King has remodeled their buildings without changing the existing footprints. The playgrounds have been changed to dining areas, though the fixed seating was being reduced. The request was to not comply with the code compliant calculation of the queue area that resulted in a requirement to sprinkler the whole facility, the proponent feeling that it exceeded any normal peak-hour-of-service counts. Following discussion, Commissioner Mitchell moved to approve all four applications, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

(30) 12-12-30 Metaldyne Bluffton, IN Horn/Strobe Project, Bluffton

Ted Horne, Tyco Integrated Security, spoke as proponent. Also appearing was Daun Spurgeon, Metaldyne. The facility had voluntarily installed horns and strobes, and the request was to reduce the \$7,500 inspection fee. The inspection was required to determine compliant installation. Dean Illingworth, State Building Commissioner, also addressed the Commission. He explained how the fees had originated and how they are calculated and assessed. Following a lengthy

discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to deny, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

Breaking and reconvening. Chairman Hannum recessed the Commission for lunch at 12:15 p.m. It was called back to order at 1:15 p.m.

6. Clarification of duration of variance 10-08-34

Agenda Item #9 was heard out of sequence to allow Ms. Snyder to be present for the discussion. The variance had asked for an extension of a CDR for the McCurdy Rehabilitation, which had been granted, and had now lapsed with no construction undertaken. The proponent had believed the extension was for an indefinite period of time, and did not want to re-file the project. He now asked for a clarification of the Commission's intention. Following discussion, the Commission stated the variance extending the CDR was for a period of one year. The variance would have expired, therefore, on August 3, 2011.

7. Interpretation of Section 2703.5 and NFPA 704, 2001 edition, Section 4.2.3.3

Agenda Item #10 was heard out of sequence to allow Ms. Snyder to be present for the discussion. A question had arisen concerning whether the language in Section 2703.5 of the Fire Code requires the NFPA 704 diamond for each substance in a room or area (inside or outside) or whether Section 4.2.3.3 of NFPA 704 would allow the use of the "composite method" of hazard identification signs for all of the substances in a room or area. Following discussion, the Commission stated they agreed the composite method would be allowed.

Ms. Snyder left the meeting at this time.

8. Variances (cont.)

(31) 12-12-31(a)(b)(c) Ft. Wayne Storage Thompson Road, Ft. Wayne

Dennis Bradshaw, FP&C Consultants, spoke as proponent. Plan Review calculated an occupant load of 195 persons in the facility, and the request in (a) was to omit the fire-rated corridor required by the count. The facility, with roll-up doors and metal panel walls, was divided by a three-hour fire wall which reduced the calculated occupant load to 24 persons per side. Variance (b) was to allow the placement of exterior openings measured from the center point of the building instead of from an end. Plan Review had cited this as a violation and required an additional opening. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve (a), with the second by Commissioner Brenner. It was voted upon and carried. Commissioner Hawkins then moved no variance was required for variance (b), with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

(32) 12-31-33 Second Chance Furniture, New Whiteland

Dan Coyle, owner, and Justin Stoll, Graber Buildings, spoke as proponents. The request was to omit the bathroom, sink and eyewash station from the outbuilding to be used for dry storage. The building will not have plumbing installed since it will be an unconditioned space, occupied only during the loading and unloading of furniture. Public will not be allowed to enter the building. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

- (33) 12-12-34 The Alexander Hotel North of South, Indianapolis

Ralph Gerdes, Ralph Gerdes Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request was to allow the access to the elevator machine rooms on the roof using a ships ladder and a lift-assisted hatch. There is also a hold-open latch to aid in access. Following discussion, Commissioner Corey moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Hawkins. It was voted upon and carried with one nay.

- (34) 12-12-36 St. Vincent Carmel Hospital Women's Health Center, Carmel

Melissa Tupper, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request was to allow the use of a fire barrier instead of a party wall between the existing medical office building and the new building. Due to a company policy, the buildings were owned by different parties, and a legal agreement would be drawn up between them to protect the exits in the corridor between the buildings. The buildings are both sprinklered, and connect only at the first floor. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve with the condition that a copy of the executed agreement be submitted to staff. Commissioner Christoffersen made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

- (35) 12-12-37 SparTA Training Academy, Fishers

Tim Callas, J&T Consulting, and Chuck McNulty, owner, spoke as proponents. The request was to allow the facility to omit a fire alarm system. The fully sprinklered facility was a training facility with a football field, boxing ring and wrestling ring permanently installed on the first floor. This would decrease the actual occupant load from the calculated load of 400. As per the Fisher Fire Department request, the posted load would be placed at 299, and an additional exit would be provided. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to approve with the condition that no spectator seating be provided. Commissioner Corey made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

- (36) 12-12-38 The 2013 Indianapolis Auto Show Camp Jeep, Indianapolis

Christina Colleston, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request was to allow six gasoline-powered jeeps to be operated inside the Convention Center. Fueling would be done outside the building. The exhaust system, capable of handling the level of fumes produced, would be operational, and the CO levels would be monitored. The floor ports would be protected from spills of fluids in the track area. Following discussion, Commissioner Christoffersen moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

- (37) 12-12-39 Dow AgroSciences Building One 314, Indianapolis

Christina Colleston, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The building had two separate fire alarm control panels with each controlling half of the building. The two panels were not connected, and each had its own synchronization module. This resulted in a few strobes being out of synch at the point the two systems converge. The installation meets the intent of NFPA 72 dealing with synchronization when more than three strobes are located within a subjects field of view. Sam Bruner, Pike Twp. Fire Department, explained that, while it complied with NFPA 72, the department would like a variance should issues with new personnel arise in the future. Following discussion, Commissioner Mitchell moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

- (38) 12-12-40 Barton Block, Indianapolis

Ed Rensink, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request was to allow the south stair to temporarily discharge through the south lobby instead of directly to the exterior during construction, which is expected to be completed by

December 2013. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to approve with the condition that the variance be valid until December 31, 2013. Commissioner Corey made the second. It was voted upon and carried:

(39) 12-12-41(a)(b)(c) Schrott Center for Performing, Indianapolis

Christina Colleter, RTM Consultants, spoke as proponent. The request in (a) was to omit sprinkler protection for the acoustical shapes mounted onto a concrete wall. The shapes are used to keep sound resilient, and, to comply with the concealed space requirements of NFPA 13, a sprinkler head would need to be mounted behind each triangle. With all wiring located within conduit and junction boxes in the walls, there was no ignition source. Following discussion, Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve (a) with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried. Variance (b) was to omit sprinkler protection beneath the tension grid/open grate flooring used to access lighting. The mesh platform is more than 70% open. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Hawkins. It was voted upon and carried. Variance (c) was to omit sprinkler protection beneath the Diva Acoustical Shell assembly. The storage units for the structures are permanently attached, but the portion that obstructs the ceiling is retractable. Following discussion, Commissioner Brenner moved no variance was required, with the second by Commissioner Hawkins. It was voted upon and carried.

9. Report of State Building Commissioner - Dean Illingworth

Dean Illingworth, State Building Commissioner, brought the Commission up to date on the progress being made in Plan Review, noting that the turn-around time for the review process had been brought to eleven days in November. He also noted that more plans have been filed this year than ever before in a single year. He said that the department had been able to replace one staff member and hire a new person. He also touched on their continuing education program and briefly discussed changes made to the request for information process.

10. Approval of Indianapolis Variance - The American Building

A local variance had been granted by the City of Indianapolis for post indicator valves on private fire service mains in the American Building project. It was now brought before the Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission for their approval. Commissioner Hawkins moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Mitchell. It was voted upon and carried.

11. Proposed amendment to the Indiana Swimming Pool, Spa and Water Attraction Code, 3rd edition, concerning circulation systems for water attractions

Todd Hite, Indiana State Department of Health, spoke on the proposed amendment. Due to discussion on a variance, the staff had been directed to prepare an amendment to Section 20-5-14 of the Indiana Pool Code. He noted the memo explained the amendment, then moved to approve, with the second by Commissioner Corey. It was voted upon and carried.

12. New Business – General.

Discussion and possible Commission action

Omega of Pi Kappa Phi, Inc.
Administrative Cause No. 12-19
Order – Boiler Pressure Vessels
Nonfinal Order of Dismissal

Amish Acres
Administrative Cause No. 12-27
Order – Fire and Building Code Enforcement
Nonfinal Order of Dismissal

Indianapolis Public School #67
Administrative Cause No. 12-23
Order – Div. of Elevator Safety
Nonfinal Order of Dismissal

Commissioner Corey moved to approve the Nonfinal Orders of Dismissal, with the second by Commissioner Christoffersen. It was voted upon and carried.

13. Discussion and Possible Commission action on petitions for review (Timely filed unless otherwise noted.)

1111 S. Green River Road, Evansville
Denial of Elevator Permit

Holiday Roller Rink
Order – Fire and Building Code Enforcement

Commissioner Cloud moved to grant the timely petitions for review. Commissioner Cloud made the second. It was voted upon and carried.

14. Comments

Speaking for Ms. Snyder, John Haines thanked everyone for attending.

15. Adjournment.

Chairman Hannum called for further business, and upon hearing none, adjourned the meeting at 2:35 p.m.

APPROVED _____
David Hannum, Chairman